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ABSTRACT

Security holsters and methods for securing a firearm are provided. In one example, the security holster includes: a body including a cavity for receiving the firearm; a locking mechanism extending at least partially into the cavity for selectively securing at least a portion of the firearm within the cavity; an access authentication assembly configured to receive/provide authentication data for determining if a requesting user requesting access to the firearm is an authorized user; a device condition sensor configured to provide device condition data associated with at least one of the security holster and an environment in proximity to the security holster; and a computing device operably coupled to the locking mechanism, the access authentication assembly, and the device condition sensor, and configured to regulate the security holster between a locked configuration where access to the firearm is denied and an unlocked configuration where the firearm is accessible.

